

THE BASSANO

BASSANO, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14th, 1929

Miss Queenie Bramley Wins Oratory Contest

Bassano Girl is District Champion—Will Go to Calgary for Southern Alberta Finals

Miss Queenie Bramley, pupil of Bassano high school, won the district oratory contest. Against strong competition from Hussar, Bow Slope, and Empress, Miss Bramley carried off the honors in the district final held in Bassano last Tuesday evening, Feb. 12th, and thereby qualified to represent this district in the southern Alberta final competition to be held in Calgary. The judges awarded second place to Stewart McPherson, of Empress. The other two contestants, Miss Lila Chiffard, of Hussar, and Miss Miller, of Bow Slope, were not ranked.

As district winner Miss Bramley was awarded a \$10 gold piece, and the runner-up, Stewart McPherson, won a \$5 gold piece. These prizes were donated by the Calgary Herald, sponsors of the contest in Southern Alberta.

Two young orators spoke on the same subject, "Canada Amongst the Nations," and each one of them delivered a splendid address on this most interesting subject. The judges were A. Griffin, of Brooks, P. MacLean, of Gleichen, and Inspector C. of Medicine Hat. W. McLean was chairman.

Pool Officials To Meet In Calgary

Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta Pools Will Convene Feb. 25th

The "parliament" of the pools will meet in Calgary on Feb. 25th. The directors and principal officials of the Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta pools, and also the central agency, will attend these semi-annual sessions to consider matters of prime importance to the entire pool world. It is stated that these inter-provincial meetings serve to preserve a closer contact between the three west pool organizations in western Canada. Outstanding questions and problems affecting the pools are discussed and recommendations made.

A feature of the coming meeting will be an address by Dr. J. P. Warburton, president of the Co-Operative League of America, who will be in Alberta at that time. Dr. Warburton will speak at a dinner to be held on the evening of Feb. 26th.

Gem News

OEM, Feb. 14—Mrs. Jones, of Wintering Hill, is visiting in the Colony for a few days this week. Mrs. H. Ferguson, of Coombs, is at the home of Mrs. Miller. Mrs. Ferguson is nursing her daughter Mildred, who is ill.

Mrs. Jones, of Wintering Hill, is in the Colony nursing Eugene, who has the measles. Mrs. Maguire and daughter Irene have returned from a pleasant vacation spent in the Pacific coast states. Mrs. Lottie Douglas was called to Calgary on account of the illness of her mother.

Mrs. A. P. Miller has recovered from an attack of the flu. P. Williamson was a business visitor to Bassano on Thursday of this week. Many people in the Colony have been ill with the measles and the flu, but most of them are now on the road to recovery. The Gem school was closed for four days on account of sickness among the children. Mr. Wallworth, suffered an injured foot on Tuesday when a horse fell on him. Jan Fryberger is nursing an injured foot following an accident with a horse.

W.I. To Hold Whist Drive and Dance

Money Being Raised To Buy School Playground Equipment

The Bassano Women's Institute will hold a whist drive and dance in the Masonic Community Hall on Friday evening of next week, Feb. 22nd. The Institute is raising money to buy school playground equipment, and the net proceeds of the coming affair will be devoted to this cause. The entire cost of the playground equipment will be in the neighborhood of \$500.00, and of this sum \$100.00 has already been spent. The whist drive Friday evening will commence at 8:30 sharp. Lunch will follow the cards, and then the dance, with the music supplied by the Bassano orchestra.

NEW STREET LIGHTS ARE BEING INSTALLED

Electric Power Company Making Improvements and Replacements. Eight new street lights are now being installed in Bassano by a crew of the United Electric & Engineering Co. The additional street lights will be operated without increased cost to the town, as the new scale of rates allows of a greater consumption of current for the same money. Alterations and improvements in the wiring are being made which will enable the company to provide a superior service.

U. P. A. WILL MEET

The Bassano U. P. A. Local will meet in the Lathem Community Hall next Tuesday evening, Feb. 19th, at 8:00 o'clock.



MUSHER MAD

"Quebec," says Sara Hamilton C. Birchall, in "Country Life," "Every year, and this one more than ever, go to Quebec between February 21st and 23rd. All you will hear in dog, dogs, huskies, mutts, and all sorts of other names. You will look at the big board in the Chateau lobby where the odds are shown, and you will wonder what it is all about, and then, perhaps, an enthusiastic soul will get you in a corner and tell you how on the third day of the last derby, the man who was considered in the running only for second place was held up by a freight train so long that his dogs would wait, worth hundreds of dollars, and he would win the 120 mile race ground by a short minute or so; and how they were cheered and cheered, and how they came, these mushers, from all parts of the North Country, with their dogs and hounds and hunkies. You will pick your dog, Siberian, Alaskan, or just plain dogs, and before the last entrant has started on the first lap on the first day, the fever will have caught you. You will see the first team drive panting home, the next and the next; the heroes

of the race, the trail dogs from Lap Pae, fuzzy animals who know the Quebec woods trail and teams of dogs bred, reared and trained for this one great derby, dogs who would wait, worth hundreds of dollars, and he would win the 120 mile race ground by a short minute or so; and how they were cheered and cheered, and how they came, these mushers, from all parts of the North Country, with their dogs and hounds and hunkies. You will pick your dog, Siberian, Alaskan, or just plain dogs, and before the last entrant has started on the first lap on the first day, the fever will have caught you. You will see the first team drive panting home, the next and the next; the heroes

Countess News

COUNTRESS, Feb. 14—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. J. Ferguson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Max Gamble last Sunday. W. H. Hawes and C. W. Jones drove down from Beyron last Wednesday. The Countess folks who attended the Lathem dance last Friday night report a most excellent time. R. P. Ferguson was a Gem visitor last Sunday. Burn Brae school opened again last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson spent an evening at cards with Mr. and Mrs. D. Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hawes this week.

SCOTT AND KEITH BRING LOAD OF PRIZES FROM BANFF. Winning six prizes in all, two of which were Bassano curlers, one skipped by R. P. Currie but entered as Dr. Scott's rink, and the other skipped by Dr. W. F. Keith, made a clean-up at the Banff bonspiel. Scott's rink won the grand aggregate, first in the Grand Challenge, first in the Bassano competition, and third in the Victoria competition. Keith won three prizes in two competitions.

Sergt. Robt. Wight Died In Calgary

Robert B. Wight died in Calgary Sunday morning, Feb. 10th, at the age of 46 years. Robert Wight was a resident of Bassano for more than nine years, being police sergeant here in charge of the local detachment of the Alberta Provincial Police. He had a large circle of friends here and in the neighboring districts, and also at Brooks where he was a corporal with the Royal North West Mounted Police.

He left Bassano last June to go to Lethbridge as headquarters sergeant. Recently he left the police force, and a few days before his death he went to Calgary to arrange for the taking over of a garage business in Okotoks. He was taken ill and went to the Western Hospital where he suffered a hemorrhage of the stomach which proved fatal.

He leaves a bereaved widow, one daughter, Christian, aged 12, and three sons, Stanley, aged 10, Norman, 10, and Robert, 3. There is also a brother, Sergt. X. Wight, of the R. C. M. P. Arctic patrol.

The funeral service was held in the Armstrong Funeral Home, Calgary, on Wednesday, Feb. 13th, at 3:30 o'clock, with many friends from Bassano and Calgary in attendance. Rev. James A. T. McLellan conducted the service in the funeral chapel. At the graveside in Burnside cemetery John Bell, Worshipful Master of Calgary Lodge No. 23, A.F. & A.M., conducted the last Masonic burial rites. Deceased was a member of Bassano Lodge No. 56, A.F. & A.M., and Harmony Chapter No. 35, R.A.M.

CLUNY HOCKEY TEAM WINS FIFTH BEARCATS

Visitors Administer Second Defeat To Local Hockey Club. Taking the long end of a 6-1 score the Cluny hockey team downed the Bassano Bearcats in a game played on Bassano ice last Wednesday evening, Feb. 13th. The local boys were equally as good as the Cluny team in skating and stick handling, but the visitors were superior in team work and combination play.

It was a rough game, and a number of penalties were meted out to offending players. Allan Yule scored Bassano's lone goal in the first period, saving the locals from a shut-out.

Cluny and Bassano have played two games, Cluny winning both of them.

Regular Session of Board of Trade

The Bassano Board of Trade held a regular meeting in the Hunter Hotel dining room at 1 o'clock noon on Wednesday, Feb. 13. This was the first meeting since the election of a new slate of officers.

The new president, Wm. McLean, was ill and not able to attend, and vice president E. A. Beck occupied the chair. W. J. Blankstein acted as secretary in the absence of C. H. Hamilton, who could not be present.

The secretary read a letter from the Canadian Chamber of Commerce re fees for 1929. In dealing with matter later notice of motion was given by Robt. McLellan, that he would at the next meeting move that the sum of \$10 be appropriated to pay affiliation fees to the Canadian Chamber of Commerce for 1929.

C. Hagger, in reporting for the public affairs committee, concerning the C. P. R. snow fence along First Avenue, said he had been informed by company officials that this was a movable fence, and would be taken down in the spring.

The executive was asked to bring in a report from the membership committee at the next meeting, and also to give the names of the appointed committees.

On motion of Robt. McLellan and Geo. Travis it was decided to appoint a swimming pool committee, and an auto camp and tree planting committee.

Geo. Travis suggested that the board write the C. P. R. requesting that they name their new townsite near the old Glanville post office after that place. It was well known that he was able to supply fuel to the town and to private individuals.

A motion was passed that the board send a note of sympathy to Mrs. Robt. S. Wight.

WILL HOLD HIGH HORSE SALE. A big sale of horses numbering about 100 head will be held at Playfair's barn on Saturday of this week, Feb. 16th. R. M. Butterworth is auctioneer.

Hussar News

HUSSAR, Feb. 13—Miss Anna Hansen came home to spend the week-end with her father, P. Hansen, returning to Calgary on Monday.

Miss Christine Hansen has been out ill, first with the measles, followed with ear trouble, she is better at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rougeau went to Bassano on Monday. Mrs. Rougeau was so unfortunate as to get a splinter in her finger, and it had become dreadfully sore, and she went down for medical treatment.

Mrs. C. W. Hayes returned from Calgary on Monday, after a visit of several days with friends there.

W. G. Nelson has been on the sick at for a few days.

The Hussar school hockey team expects to have a game with the Bassano school team on Saturday, providing the weather permits.

Miss Lulu English spent the week-end at home.

Mr. Piko, father of Mrs. P. R. Barver, came up from Medicine Hat to visit with his daughter and family.

A. P. Schooning returned to Hussar on Thursday after a visit of a couple of months at Hustville, M. U.S.A. Dr. Hawthorn, of Bassano, and Dr. Simmes, of Gleichen, were summoned to Hussar on Saturday because of the illness of Bobby Kitchie. They had a difficult time getting here, being held up for an hour in one flat about six miles out of Hussar. They found the young chap quits ill with a severe cold. While here they made visits to several other patients.

It seems that the cars from Bassano had a hard time returning after the dance on Friday, as the wind had played havoc with the roads, and many details had to be made. As there were three together they were able to help each other, so there were no serious exposures to the cold.

Clarence and E. Killington motored to Bassano on Saturday to get the \$25 for the show on Saturday. They brought back "Love Hungry," which proved to be a most amusing comedy.

Rev. Gordon came back from Calgary on Saturday by way of Hussar, returning to Hussar on Sunday.

Mr. T. Barrett is on the sick list with throat trouble. Owing to there being an unexpected vacancy in the village council there was a nomination meeting on Saturday from 8 to 9. J. R. was nominated, and as there were no other nominations he was declared elected to complete the term left vacant by the death of J. R. MacDonald.

Rosemary News

ROSEMARY, Feb. 14—Mr. Gliddewent to Brooks Tuesday to bring back a 1929 Chevrolet coach.

Several people from Rosemary attended the oratorical contest in Bassano Tuesday evening.

The ice harvest in around Rosemary this week.

Remember the whist drive to be held in the L. D. B. Hall Friday night, Feb. 16th.

We extend our congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Walker.

Harold Kennedy is leaving next week for the east. We are certainly sorry to see you leave us, Harold.

SANDROCKE THIES OUT

AIR DRIVEN MOTOR SLEED. Last Sunday W. E. Sandrocke completed his motor sled to a stage where it could be tried out.

The sled consists of a light rigid frame on which is mounted a 30 horse power aeroplane motor with a tractor screw directly attached to the crankshaft. The sled is supported by a runner at the rear and two at the front. Under its own power it was taken out to the canal near Clarence and there it was run over a series of trial runs on the ice. The motor was not operating well, and a fair test of the sled could not be made. Wm. Sandrocke and Ward Simpson are now making some alterations in the design, and tuning up the motor, and will soon have the sled ready for another trial.

BONSPIEL GOES INTO SECOND DAY OF PLAY

Staten Hicks Competing in "Apel"—Mild Weather Softens Ice on Thursday, and the Going Is Heavy

The second day of play in the Bassano bonspiel, Thursday, Feb. 14, was finished under unfavorable ice conditions. The weather was very mild, and soft ice interfered with first class curling.

Staten Hicks are playing in the bonspiel. All are local players. The committee found it impossible to arrange the "Apel" so it would be continued for visiting rinks only was decided to have local rinks only. The first draw was made Wednesday afternoon, and play continued Thursday. Friday night play will be suspended until Monday, and then the "Apel" run out to the finals. Five draws a day are being made, at 10:00 a.m., 1:00 o'clock noon, 2:30 p.m., 7:00 p.m., and 9:00 p.m.

The results of the games played up to the end of Thursday are as follows.

Wednesday, Feb. 13
Grand Challenge, 4:30 p.m.
Grainland 5, Geo. Siller 2.
Merchants, 2:30 p.m.
McLaws defaulted to Blankenstein.
Grand Challenge, 9:00 p.m.
Joe Smith 7, Pierson 6. Newby 6, McLean 9.

Thursday, Feb. 14
Merchants, 10:00 a.m.
Grainland 12, Pierson 5.
Grand Challenge, 10:00 a.m.
Joe Smith 10, Scott 9.

Grand Challenge, 1:00 p.m.
Currie 14, Scott 9. McKee won by default from Blankenstein.

Merchants, 3:30 p.m.
Joe Smith 8, Keith 13. McLean 9, Barlow 9.

Merchants, 7:00 p.m.
McDonald M, Geo. Siller 7. Young 6, McKee 12.

Grand Challenge, 9:00 p.m.
Blankenstein M, Barlow 2.

Merchants, 9:00 p.m.
Currie 11, Flanagan 10.

The Distributors, Ltd., of Calgary donated four beautiful silver cashes for first prize in the Grand Challenge competition. Burns cashes, of Calgary, and the Crown Lamer Co. are also donating prizes for the bonspiel. The local merchants are contributing a fair share of the prizes.

Drama Of The Air Brings Many Thrills

It was not so long ago that the war in the air swept across the motion picture horizon, establishing itself as the forerunner of its kind and leaving the cinema as the center of the public that here, truly, was a screen story that would live.

Paranount, however, took up its own challenge and produced "The Legion of the Condemned," which is showing in the Gem Theatre Friday and Saturday of this week, Feb. 15th and 16th.

"The Legion of the Condemned" is a good, sound, interesting story showing in full detail the hard-core romantic life of a group of bandaged men at the front—a group of men who owed debts to society and felt that only death could expiate their sins. Nothing was too dangerous; any misdeed that was brought on was dispatched with reckless abandon, so that soon they became the talk of the front and of the entire world when feats of valor were discussed.

In many of the flying sequences the spectator is carried along in the cockpit of the "ship," living really the life of the hero in his action, and the men who handled the planes were those pilots who had made names for themselves during the great war.

"Our Dancing Daughters," showing Monday and Tuesday next week, Feb. 18 and 19, is a picture of modern life.

Usual good picture program for Wednesday and Thursday next. Friday and Saturday next week, Feb. 15 and 16, the war in the air. "The Patriot." This is the story of the greatest patriot who ever lived, who killed his dearest friend to save his country from a madman.

GEM THEATRE

Friday & Sat., February 15 & 16 | Wed. and Thurs., Feb. 20 & 21

Fay Ray and Gary Cooper in Look for surprise picture on the above nights

"THE LEGION OF THE CONDEMNED"

A PASSED "U" PICTURE
Regular prices:---
Adults 50c Children 25c

Monday & Tues., Feb. 18 & 19

"Our Dancing Daughters"

To see it is to talk about it. Boldness has the screen brought a drama that sends the world out of its theatre so stirred. Bye-billings, not laughing.

Friday and Saturday
February 22nd and 23rd

"THE PATRIOT"

A PASSED "U" PICTURE

A plot of tremendous dramatic strength. The story of the greatest patriot that ever lived, who killed his dearest friend to save his country from a madman.

Correction—Dates published last week were incorrect. Correct dates will be announced later.

"King Of Kings" Coming Soon

No Extensive New Legislation Indicated By Speech From Throne

Ottawa, Ont.—The speech from the throne which the King delivered to the Governor-General, opened Parliament, consists largely of a review of the activities and accomplishments of the Government since the close of the last parliamentary session.

New legislation announced is not extensive. Amendments to the Dominion Elections Act, to the Companies Act, the Fisheries Act, the Narcotic Drug Act, and the act respecting technical education are pieces of new legislation to be forestalled.

The speech also states that Parliament will be given an opportunity to approve the multilateral treaty for the renunciation of war, as well as the treaty providing for the protection of the scenic beauties of Niagara. Amendments to the Railway Act, which will grant to the railway commission powers of investigation of affairs in relation to subsidiary concerns and with respect to the issue of capital stock will be introduced.

One of the most important announcements connected with the speech is that legislation to provide for a general pension scheme for the benefit of Canadian naval employees will be brought down.

The speech likewise challenges for the recovery of His Majesty's right of the "unimpaired property" of the Dominion, drives particular attention to the development of the mining industry, and suggests further legislation to implement recommendations of the Dominion Commission. It states that plans are in progress for construction of the national research laboratory.

Reference is made to immigration agreements which have been concluded. Announcement of the introduction of a further branch line program by the Canadian National Railways is also contained in the speech, and it is estimated that authority will be asked for the acquisition of certain railways in both Eastern and Western Canada as feeders of the government-owned system.

Better Relations Looked For

Italian Notes Making Arrangements To Open Frontier

Sofia, Bulgaria. After years of extreme tension and recurring frontier disputes, Bulgaria and Italy have seen at last on the threshold of better relations.

The frontier, which has been closed for a year and a half, a situation which gave rise to the Italian ultimatum, is to be opened. Word of this was brought to M. Drif, foreign minister here. A mixed commission will meet at the frontier to settle details of the frontier agreement.

A formal commercial treaty between the two governments is expected soon to better trade relations.

Commission Now In Europe

London, England. The Canadian broadcasting commission under the chairmanship of Sir John Ait, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, left for the continent, February 7. It is understood the members have been favorably impressed by the British organization which yields a revenue of about \$5,000,000 yearly under government supervision, divided between the government and the corporation.

Liquor Profits For Charity

Quebec. In the legislative assembly Hon. Athanasius David, provincial secretary, announced that the sum of one million dollars would be taken from the profits of the Quebec liquor commission next year and turned over to the charitable and religious fund of aid of charitable institutions.

King Signs Documents

London, England. King George for the first time since appointment as co-chairman of state on December 4, has been able to sign several documents. It was officially stated that His Majesty signed two state papers appointing Justice Tomlin to be lord agent in ordinary and member of the privy council.

Killed During Formation Flight

Panama, P.R.—Bransell P. Howell, 24, and Andrew Brink, 21, attached to the navy flying squadron here, were killed when their biplanes crashed in mid-air during a formation flight.

W. N. J. 1772

Alberta Keeps Own Police

Province Prefers Not To Make Change In System

Edmonton.—The Alberta Government has decided not to accept the offer of the Dominion Government, that the Royal Canadian Mounted Police should have over the police of this province from the existing Alberta provincial police force.

This much was made evident by Premier Broderick in the legislature, and he gave as his reason the same reason that the Federal Government gave when they refused to remove the R.C.M.P. from the province—that they intended to have their own statutes enforced by their own police.

Radio For Peace River

Premier Broderick Outlines Year's Plans For North Country

Edmonton, Alta.—Short-wave radio stations to link up isolated points in Alberta's north, pending the carrying of telegraph communication to such points; an intensive search for water, timber, and other resources; three survey parties for oil surveys, and a survey party to examine the pre-Cambrian Shield in the northwest of the province for mineral possibilities, are among plans for the Peace River country this year, Premier Broderick told the Alberta legislature.

FRANCE WILLING TO RENOUNCE PENSION RIGHTS

Paris. A determined effort to insure the economic rehabilitation of Europe will be made when the international committee of experts on reparations begins its sessions here.

The reason for the delay is that Britain and the United States are anxious to get the Kellogg pact, upon which they have been concentrating for some time, out of the way first, but the conclusion of the arbitration treaty is expected before long.

Representations were received from Canada a few weeks ago, and the other Dominions have also sent their views on no great difficulties are anticipated, and there is no discussion.

It is admitted that the question of setting up the arbitration machinery has been a matter of some discussion, but no great difficulties are anticipated, and there is no discussion.

Nurses Called To Paris From England

The Epidemic Has Reached Serious Proportions In France

Paris. France's influenza epidemic has become so serious that it has been found necessary to import nurses from England.

This procedure ordinarily would be attended with endless red tape, but much of this has been dispensed with, so the present intention to facilitate treatment of cases in Paris hospitals, in some cases doctors have been asked to get hold of German reports.

The United States has held consistently that the debts are a separate issue and are payable whether Germany provides sufficient reparations or not.

A third problem is the evacuation of the Rhineland. A plan is being considered to withdraw the troops and substitute an Allied commission of control in the Rhineland.

Successes Late Major Bell

Ottawa. The appointment of R. A. C. Henry, director of the bureau of economies of the Canadian National Railways, to be deputy minister of railways, following the late Major General Bell, has been announced by the prime minister.

Employing Mid Winter

Copenhagen. The Greenland Administration (Danish) reports that the country was enjoying an unusually mild winter. There was virtually no ice or snow, it was said, and the temperature was equivalent to approximately 18 degrees Fahrenheit.

To Trap the World's Melodies!

The world will soon have another symphony! Rudolph Rinal, the noted composer of Rose Marie, The Vagabond King and other musical successes, is circling the globe in search of inspiration for a new work. With his bagpipes he is visiting the Empire of Australia at Monaca, and will make the world cruise on her, searching India, the Orient and other points in the mystic east, for new and haunting melodies which will later be sung and hummed and whistled the world and lengths of the globe.

FORMS FINANCIAL BUSINESS

Starving Crowds

Raid Food Stores

Hunger Craved People In Bensarab Attack Emergency Stores

Kitchener, Bensarab.—Starving crowds of men, women and children attacked the emergency food relief stations here and smashed windows, wrecked furniture and seized the small remaining supply of food.

The government relief committee has promised additional food supplies.

The government of Bensarab, which has been the centre of a desperate famine because of crop failure, held a special meeting of officials to discuss further measures for relieving the situation which has been greatly aggravated because of the non-arrival of food trains which have been in heavy snow between Bensarab and Dhuhrast.

Injuries Proved Fatal

Workman For Paper Company

North Bay, Ont. Despite the effort of a gang of men armed with axes and tools, a workman employed by the International Paper Company, died of shock and loss of blood.

John's leg was caught in the gear of the big machine, and, owing to the nature of the mechanism, the gears could not be reversed. The workman, who was immediately taken to hospital in Mattawa, where his injuries proved too severe and he died a few hours later.

Death Of Bremen Flyer

Baron Von Huenefeld Succumbs To Operation In Berlin Sanatorium

Berlin.—Baron Ehrenfried Günther Von Huenefeld, one of the three men in the aeroplane from which the first was to be accomplished, died of a heart attack.

Baron Huenefeld, the son of a Prussian army officer, Von Huenefeld, was never strong. When he offered himself for service during the great war he was rejected on the ground of his weak physique. He persisted, however, and was finally accepted as a motorcycle dispatch carrier.

Ottawa Athlete Killed

Plane Crashed During Solo Flight At Camp Borden

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—"Harry" Ait, prominent athlete of this city, died as the result of injuries sustained at Camp Borden when the plane he was flying crashed. Mr. Ait, who was training for a pilot's certificate, was in a solo flight when his machine fell into a lake.

A court of inquiry will be held at Camp Borden to determine the cause of the accident.

Gain In Ship Production

Great Britain and Ireland Lead Lists In Total Tonnage

New York. Lloyd's register of shipping has announced that in the first nine months of 1928, the world's production of merchant vessels was established in 1928.

Great Britain and Ireland had the largest percentage and all maritime countries except the United States built 129,215 tons compared with 129,215 tons in 1927, but Great Britain and Ireland gained 18 per cent and all other countries combined 32 per cent.

AIR SURVEYS FOR LAST YEAR BREAK RECORD

OTTAWA. The prominence of aerial surveying for mapping Canada on account of great speed combined with a wealth of details, information was the keynote of the report of the Aerial Surveys Committee presented by H. W. Waugh, D.L.S., at the annual convention of Dominion Land Surveyors.

Although aerial surveys were inaugurated in Canada only seven years ago, they have become a most popular method of mapping was the statement of the committee.

At the present season, which was a record for Canadian operations, 66,143 square miles of territory were photographed by vertical and oblique photography. In Nova Scotia 2,870 square miles were photographed. In New Brunswick, 835; Quebec, 12,885; Ontario, 17,696; Manitoba, 7,435; Saskatchewan, 14,800; Alberta, 4,800, and British Columbia, 6,664. Altogether, 106,123 photographs were taken, said Mr. Waugh.

Officials Confer On Townsite Plans For Port Of Churchill

To Protect Gold Reserve

Bank Of England Raises Rate One Per Cent

London.—Directors of the Bank of England raised the bank rate 1 per cent, lifting it to 5½ per cent from the 4½ per cent level at which it had stood since April 21, 1927.

The necessity for some measure to protect the bank's gold reserve from proceeds through shipments to the United States had long been recognized in the money market, but it had been hoped that a working agreement between the central institutions here and that in the U.S. would have devised some measure of assistance before this.

The 10 per cent of gold from the Bank of England in one week was more than 13,000,000, reducing the bank's stock to less than 15,000,000, and the higher rate was imposed in an endeavor to raise the sterling rate of exchange and to check the outflow of gold.

Wants Airplane For Alberta Police

Commissioner Also Suggests Broadcasting Radio Station At Headquarters

Edmonton. Commissioner W. C. Brown of the Alberta Provincial Police, in his annual report, submitted to the legislature, favors the proposal of an airplane for his department, and also suggests the establishment of broadcasting stations at headquarters for the more expeditious information of details regarding crimes and other urgent information.

Will Build New Cruisers

Washington. An increase in the United States navy by 15 cruisers and an aeroplane carrier has been decided by the senate.

The bill, which was passed by the senate, with the exception that the ships be held down before July 1, 1931.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 17

PRAYER

Golden Text: "If ye abide in Me, and My words abide in you, ask whatsoever ye will, and it shall be done unto you." John 14:7.

Lesson: Luke 18:22-23. Matthew 18:14. Luke 18:14. Luke 18:14. Luke 18:14.

Explanations and Comments

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Figures Show England Going Dry

London, England. Of its own accord, England is going dry. At least, the consumption of spirits has been falling steadily for the past two years. In 1926 the consumption of spirits in England was 1,223,000 cases. Last year's figure is 1,122,000. The cause of the decline, such as the movies, radio, etc., are given as the reason for this decline.

Laborer Killed As Asbestos

Winnipeg, Man. A laborer of 35 years, killed at approximately 8:00 a.m. on Monday, Feb. 12, while working on a building, was killed by a falling stone. The stone had been thrown by a Canadian Asbestos Company, Ltd. of St. Paul, Montreal, to the Winnipeg Building Company.

Paying Visit To Japan

London, England. The Duke of Gloucester will leave London at the end of March for Tokyo, to invest Emperor Hirohito, of Japan, with the Order of the Garter. Determination of the date of the duke's mission was stated to have been made possible "in view of the improvement in the King's health."

Silver Bullets Shipped

Halifax. Included in the cargo taken aboard the Cunard liner "Aurora," which sailed for Plymouth on Monday, Feb. 19, was 140 bars of silver bullets on London option, and 93 parcels of clothing for the miners' relief fund of the Lord Mayor of London. The first shipment for this purpose to go forward from Halifax.

A Law Abiding Town

Hooper, Neb.—Hooper held claim to the law abiding championship of the United States. Not a single person of the town's 1,014 population was arrested here last year.



BASSANO LODGE NO. 55, ANCIENT FREE & ACCEPTED MASONS
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PROMOTING TREE GROWTH
Tree growing in Bassano has been very successful. Trees that were planted a number of years ago are now fine, large shade trees. The results show what a wonderful improvement can be brought about in a prairie town by the planting of trees.

Last year the young trees, although they appeared to come out well in foliage, did not attain the growth that they should have. The reason for this is that they did receive sufficient water. The early part of the summer very little rain fell, and the irrigation system was not quite completed. The trees, suffered on this account, and grew only a foot or eighteen inches when, with an abundant supply of water, they would have increased their height three or four feet.

Now that the town has its own irrigated system there should be at all times an abundant supply of water for trees and gardens. One of the reasons for water shortage last year was the destruction of the weir in the C.P.R. irrigation canal which supplies water to the town irrigation system. After this mishap no water was available for town irrigation.

Before the system is finally completed, there is considerable work to be done, chiefly the installing of culverts where the lateral ditches cross the streets and lanes. The town public works department should have this work done as early as possible in the spring so that every tree which can be irrigated will be well provided with water.

JUVENILE ORATORY
For the second successive year a Bassano high school student has won district honors in the International oratorical contest. Residents of Bassano feel proud that Miss Queenie Brantley brought this honor to her town.

The oratorical contests were begun about a year ago, this being the second contest of the kind in Alberta. School children and adults of Bassano and neighboring districts have taken a great deal of interest in the contest from the time of their inception here, and this interest will probably increase next year.

The work of organizing and promoting interest in the local oratorical contest was done almost entirely by the pupils, with very little outside assistance. They have done very well, and should be commended for their success. It is quite probable that next year the Board of Trade will sponsor the contest, and help the young orators in every way possible.

Modern house decoration takes no account of the past history or symbolism of objects hung up or laid down to "make a touch of color," but sometimes a note of conscience is struck in a tenant like this:

A PURSIFYING
(by Marcia Lewis Leach)
What right has my profane young foot to tread
Upon the work of ancient men? The threat
Of sacrificial fire creeps through and smoke
Of incense calls the faithful to invoke
Forgotten gods. Here all the paths of life
Are interwoven, roads of sorrow, strife;
Of pleasure there; conflicting forces vie,
Led on by mystic scrolls and haunting eye
Of sacred beast. I stand amazed to hear
The Moslem chant of long-robed priests; severe;
I see dark slaves obedience silent make.
No, No! I would not for great Allah's sake
Disturb my rug. A Hindu ghost lies there,
I'd rather leap a space to reach the staid!

"George put in three whole months worrying over which of two girls he would choose for his wife."
"Well, which did he choose?"
"When he finally got ready to propose, he discovered that neither of them would have him."

Mrs. Higgins has just paid the last instalment on a perambulator.
Shop Assistant: "Thank you madam. How is the baby getting on now?"
Mrs. Higgins: "Oh, it's all right. 'It's getting' married next week."

HATCHERY PERIOD FOR CHICKS
(Experimental Farm Notes)
Experimental work, carried on at the Poultry Division, Experimental Farm, Ottawa, to determine the amount of time that should elapse between the completion of the hatch and giving the first food, has shown some interesting results.

An experiment carried on during 1933 gave rather indefinite results but showed no greater mortality of feeding after twenty-four of thirty-six hour periods than when the birds were starved for a longer time.

A continuation of this experiment during 1934 showed the greatest gain in weight up to three weeks of age to be made by chicks fed twenty-four hours after the completion of the hatch. The weight gains decreased gradually until forty-eight hours after which point decrease in weight gains was more marked. Mortality was equal for all lots excepting the last fed in which lot there was a slight increase.

This experiment was again continued during 1935. In this case the greatest gain was made by the birds fed sixty hours after hatching followed

by those fed twenty-two, twenty-four, forty and ninety-six hours after hatching respectively. Mortality was equal and greatest for the birds fed forty and seventy-two hours after hatching with those fed sixty and ninety-six hours next in order. There was no mortality amongst those birds fed twenty-four hours after hatching. In no case did the birds starved until ninety-six hours after hatch compare favorably with the earlier fed lots. The results obtained to date would seem to indicate that chicks may be fed as early as twenty-four hours after hatching with no harmful results either upon weight gains or mortality. It is just possible, however, that there is a happy medium in the neighborhood of from thirty-six to forty-eight hours after hatching. These results seem to indicate that, one hundred hours or more before the fact that chicks will go as long as rearing their first feed is to be cooked upon more as a fortunate circumstance which permits of shipping over great distances rather than the best method of husbandry.

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Local News

Wm. McLane has been sold up with a very bad cold the past week.

W. R. Bainbrooke unloaded a carload of new Chevrolet sties on Tuesday.

H. W. Ford returned on Thursday from Jenner, where he had been auditing.

H. Beber and M. D. MacDonald went to Calgary Monday to attend a meeting of the R. A. M.

The W. I. will meet in the L.O.O.F. Hall Tuesday afternoon next week, Feb. 19th, at 3:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Lindsay, of Medicine Hat, was visiting in Bassano this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Leonard.

A. Griffin, C.P.R. D.N.R. chief at Brooks, was in Bassano Tuesday. He was one of the judges at the oratorical contest.

The local branch of the Women's Institute will hold their whist drive and dance on Friday evening next week, February 22nd.

Mrs. H. E. Barlow and Mrs. H. D. Baron went to Calgary to attend the funeral of the late Rob. S. Wright on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bell were down from Hasser on Tuesday to attend the oratorical contest, accompanying Mrs. Lila Clifford, the Hasser contestant.

The bonspiel got away to a good start on Wednesday afternoon. All games will be suspended Saturday, and play continued again on Monday.

Dr. Scott, W. S. Playfair, and C. Hopkins had a rough trip home from Calgary Wednesday. In places the road was drifted deep with snow. It took them more than five hours to make the trip.

A number of Bassano people attended the funeral of the late Serg. Robt. S. Wright in Calgary on Wednesday. Among them being, W. S. Playfair, Dr. A. G. Scott, W. Deegan, Dr. B. E. Barlow, Chas. Hopkins, E. P. Carlin, A. McKee, V. Hogan, A. G. Bond.

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Entered the sign "No Parking Here"
Whit' some hobgoblin cop
Had hung on Willie's chimney top.

Matrimonial Amitties

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Hub: "No bus."
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A report that Russia and Japan had severed diplomatic relations was officially denied in Moscow.

Thirty-two named or numbered varieties and strains of spring wheat were tested at the Central Farm at Ottawa in 1927.

Captain Isaac Côté, believed to have been the last survivor of the Crimean War, is dead, aged 93. He was born in St. John, N.B.

Production of automobiles in Canada during the calendar year 1926 reached a new record of 240,000 cars, having a sales value (last price) of \$151,520,238.

The U.S. House and Senate conferees on the delinquent agreement failed to agree on the Senate amendment to provide \$2,000,000 for law enforcement.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, again in the latest to be charged with treason regarding the make-up of President-elect Hoover's administration.

William O'Brien Kemp, known as "the perpetual student" at Columbia University, died recently at the age of 78. He studied at the university for 60 years. During that period of study he acquired 12 degrees.

A portrait of Major-General Sir William Draper, K.B., a soldier of the eighteenth century, by Gainsborough, has been sold by the John Levy Galleries to an unnamed New York collector for \$150,000.

James Melrose is dead at York, England, at the age of 100 years. He was refused a policy of an insurance company as a "bad risk" early in life. He was lord mayor of York, in 1860 and 1877.

International Arbitration

Idea Of Ending Disputes Has Shown Rapid Advance

The idea of arbitration has progressed farther in the past fifty years, and especially in the twentieth century than in all preceding time. Courts of arbitration composed of experts have been recognized as more suitable than courts of state to decide the cases which come within the scope of the institution. This recognition has been carried to its logical end by the creation of the Permanent Court of International Justice, even though the litigation is not even in the court on having a judge of their own. The body thus testifying to the importance of national points of view in the consultation chamber or in the public hearing. In place of special agreements to arbitrate particular cases has come a wide acceptance of the principle of compulsory judicial settlement of rights, and the scope of agreement embodying the principle would have seemed chimerical to statesmen of fifty years ago.

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Idea Hardly Feasible
Objections Against Behaving Captain Vancouver's Bones to Vancouver for Reburial

Post No. 2 of the Native Sons of British Columbia have begun an agitation with the object of moving the bones of Captain Vancouver from Peterborough, in Surrey, near London, to Vancouver for reburial. In the great city which bears his name on the Pacific coast. But there are objections. First of all, the descendants of the navigator are against the scheme, and this, as in the case of General Oglethorpe, the founder of Georgia, is apt to prove a powerful obstacle to the plan. Then the citizens of Victoria insist that such a proposal is an outrage against good taste, adding, however, that if Captain Vancouver is to be moved, he should be buried in Victoria and not in Vancouver. This double criticism of Post No. 2's scheme is also weighty, and the chances are that Captain Vancouver will continue to lie where he was placed a hundred and fifty odd years ago.

Moved Large Tree
White Oak At Wellesley, Mass., Was Lowered Six Feet

An unusual feat of tree moving has been performed at Wellesley College, Wellesley. A large white oak, having been the Christmas tree for this descent was the necessary lowering of the tree on the hill on which the dormitory, Stone Davis Hall, has been erected.

A large excavation was dug under the tree, which previously gave the appearance of being on a pedestal, and then powerful jacks of water uprooted the pedestal, and the tree, dropped six feet to its new location.

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The Carnival Of Noise

Much of it is unnecessary and

Carnival is the name of the

The present high peak of street

Noises has been reached so gradually

that many persons have not fully

appreciated the fact that they are allowing

others to inflict upon them and are

not stopped to consider whether, in

fact, the various components that

make up the existing pandemonium

are really necessary and unavoid-

able. Each new addition has been

added to the list of noises, and

the unattended motorcycle,

the klaxon, the heavy lorry, the air-

plane, the steam tractor and the

pneumatic drill have been tolerated

in turn. Each of these noisy inven-

tions has been turned loose without

let or hindrance and people have

ceased to marvel at them or to won-

der what diabolical invention engi-

neering science will thrust upon

them next.

To Prevent "Flu"

INFLUENZA GERMS FIRST

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Dangerous germs which lodge in

the nostrils and throat with Catarrhus

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When the healing power of Catarrhus

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of all catarrhs which destroy every

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Protect yourself against "Flu" by

using Catarrhus; it stops a cold

in a few moments. The germ-tris-

tricks taken soreness out of the

throat. All the healing matter in

the nose and throat that smells as

it does, that gives you a headache

and makes you cough, Catarrhus

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Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

GRAPE MOLE

5 tablespoons quick-cooking tapi-

oca

1 teaspoon salt

1 pint hot grape juice

1 cup sugar

1 cup raisins

1 cup quartered marshmallows

(if desired)

2 eggs

Ladle fingers or strips of sponge

cake.

Cook tapioca and salt in the 5th

cup. Cook in a double boiler 15 min-

utes, stirring constantly. Drain and

cool. Remove from fire and add spi-

ce. When partially cooled, stir in

the marshmallows. Stir until the

mixture is thick. Pour into a shallow

dish of a glass bowl or around indi-

vidual slices of sponge cake. Let

stand until firm. Serve with whipped

cream. Lady fingers or sponge cake

may be omitted.

A Clever Idea

The Durham Chronicle tells of a

young man who visited a store in

the town, purchased three dozen

eggs on credit, took them to a

store and sold them and used the

money to buy a new suit. The

store is probably the first instance of a

thirty-six hen-power automobile.

A steadily increasing group of

people is making the

theory is that of dialectic, provincial

and local words and expressions.

Inquiring Child: "Did you and

daddy descend from the gorilla,

lunatic?"

"Mother: 'I didn't, darling.'"

W. N. O. 1772

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Safest and best for Children or Invalids because

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ARROWROOT

Prospects Bright In Alberta

Outstanding Year Is Looked For

Says Lieutenant-Governor

Alberta's story for 1928, in com-

mon with that of all Western Can-

ada, is one which tells of unprece-

dented development and is eloquent

of hope for the future. His Hon-

ourable, Lieutenant-Governor

of Alberta declared at Winnipeg in

recent interview.

More than 25,000 persons had

moved into the Peace River Valley

during the year, he declared, almost

doubling the population of the

territory.

While Alberta's marketing of

stock is a very real problem, con-

siderable headway had been made in

this industry, and Mr. Egbert looked

upon the extension of the test pe-

riod for shipment to Ontario from

this month as a very desirable

as a favorable indication.

His honor forecast considerable

development of water power in the

north-west. He referred to the

great opportunities for electrical

development of the Spray Lakes. Pow-

er service was being extended from

Edmonton, he said, to the north dis-

tricts to the south especially.

Hon. Mr. Underwood

One day, in the third grade read-

ing class, the teacher was telling a

story of a dog and a fox. When she

came near the end of the story she

said, "And the cunning fox jumped

up on the stone wall and ran away

it, and the dog lost his scent."

When she finished the story she

asked the children to tell her what

the fox had done.

The class repeated the story.

The teacher then asked the class

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New Weapons Against War

Radio and Atlantic Phone Service

Would Greatly Aid Statesmen

Science has been largely de-

veloped the weapons of war, such

as the airplane and the submarine.

But there are modern scientific re-

sources which may become effective

in the future. One of these is the

radio. The radio has been used

since 1914 the great difficulty was that

the men responsible for national policies

were not together; they could not

talk to one another, negotiations

were impeded by elaborate methods

of cabling back and forth. We now

have the trans-continental teleph-

one. That, no doubt, will be a great

aid to our peace machinery. The

radio, or even the airplane may

serve to overcome distance as an ob-

stacle to conference among states-

men.

FOR MOTHERS OF

YOUNG CHILDREN

Mothers are quick to praise any-

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Boys Display Class in Twice Defeating Gleichen Boys

(By Burton Ford)

A fast game was witnessed by a fair crowd at Bassano last Friday night when the Bassano juvenile hockey team defeated Gleichen with a score of 3-4. Both teams played hard all through the game, and the score was 1-1 with one minute to go. The centres faced off in the corner by the home goal, and Cadour, receiving a pass, scored the winning tally.

The Return Game

Before an extra large crowd the Bassano school team vs. Gleichen on Saturday afternoon again proved themselves by winning from the Gleichen school team 4-2. The Bassano boys worked hard throughout the entire game, and played good combination. Time after time the Gleichen players tried to break through the strong Bassano defense, but failed. The score at the end of the first period was 2-2. The second period was a hard fight, and finished with no score.

In the third period, however, Bassano made two more conquests when Cadour, just after the face-off, went through and scored twice. From then on Bassano played four man defense. The Gleichen players worked their hardest, but failed to get through, and the shots that were taken at the Bassano were wide.

Summary of Goals

First period: Bassano, L. Leonard, B. Ford; Gleichen, Ted Boos. 2.
Second period: nil.
Third period: Bassano, Cadour 2.

The Line-Up

Gleichen goal, H. Bogstie; defence, J. Cook, G. Rishaug; forwards, T. Boos, P. Downey, M. Yates; sub, M. Desjardine, L. Greer, R. Wright.

Bassano: goal, A. Ford; defence, A. Cadour, B. Ford; forwards, L. Leonard, P. McLean, A. Aronson; sub, R. McGregor, I. Warren.

Communication

Editor The Bassano Mail:

Why is our Bassano hockey team so ineffective? There must be a weak link somewhere, as results speak for themselves. Four reasons present themselves, although none of them may necessarily be correct. Be that as it may, these reasons are:

1. Lack of condition arising through lack of self denial.
2. Lack of co-operative effort.
3. Lack of respect for the hockey ability or knowledge of their hockey mentor.
4. An exaggerated idea of their own ability, and a supercilious attitude toward our opponent of instruction.

I leave these four reasons for our players to meditate over in the hope that they may bear fruit.

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